

## **Journal Gazette, The (Fort Wayne, IN) - Tuesday, April 18, 2000**

WAYNE M. RIPPY SR., 69, died Sunday at Jay County Hospital in Portland. Born in Lebanon, Mo., he retired in 1991 from Indiana Glass after 19 years. He was an Army veteran. Surviving are his wife, Wilda Gay; his mother, Pearl Rippy of Dunkirk; three sons, Wayne "Buster" Jr. of Arlington, Va., Stephen of Springfield, Va., and Mark of Alexandria, Va.; a daughter, Beverly Hampton of Alexandria; three stepsons, Robert Underwood Jr. and David Underwood, both of Arlington and Rodney Underwood of Albany; a stepdaughter, Marsha Lynn Hallowell of Albany; a brother, Kenneth D. of Pennville; two sisters, Bernice Wayman of Pennville and Barbara Cansler of Dunkirk; 11 grandchildren; a great-grandchild; eight step-grandchildren; and two step-great-great-grandchildren. Services at 11 a.m. Wednesday at Pennville Chapel of the Williamson and Spencer Funeral Home. Calling from 2 to 8 p.m. today. Burial in I.O.O.F. (Twin Hills) Cemetery, Pennville, with military rites by Pennville American Legion.

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